#### Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....\$7,500,000 RESERVE FUND ..... 4,400,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS .....

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-

CHAIRMAN-W. H. FORBES, Esq. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. W. G. BRODIF, Esq. S.C.Micharlsen, Esc. Hon. A. P. McEWEN. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. J. S. Mosks, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. L. POESNECKER, Esq.

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MANAGER. SHANGHAI-JOHN WALTER, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. N CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS:-

For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities.

and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercia! places in Europe, India, Australia,

America, China and Japan. G E NOBLE, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 10th January, 1890.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ....... 580,000.

Head Office.....40, Threadneedle Street.

West End Office......25, Cockspur Street. Branches in India, Persia, China, Japan AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT, Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE, ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. AGENCY OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE

> H. A. HERBERT, Manager. HONGKONG BRANCH.

#### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS

BANK.

r.-THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3: SATURDAYS, 10 to 1. 2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, or MORE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

in any one year. 3-DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4.—INTEREST at the rate of 31 % per annum will be allowed to Depositors on

their daily balances. 5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China 7. - WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand

but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his PASS-BOOK, are

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE. Chief Managor,

Hongkong, 1st January, 1889.

**IUST RECEIVED.** 

For sowing during the Month of February. In Packets—Price 50 Cents Each.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1890. THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND

March next, and is payable at the Hongkong will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 8th, and Shanghai Banking Corporation, per annum will be charged on all Calls unpaid no Transfer of Shares can be registered. on the due date.

By Order of the Board of Directors, REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., The Concretiblens gers. See Albert 1960.

"Mongkong, 5th February, 1890, "

#### Untimations

# LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HONGKONG

DUCKSKIN RACING SADDLES with | Jockey Whips and Racing Spurs. D furniture 3 B. complete... Nichoil's best Buckskin Rucing Saddles. Single and Double Bridles and Bits. Extra Light Racing Reins. Surcingles, Girths, Rollers, Weight Cloths. .. Stirrup Leather & Webs, Headstalls, Cruppers. Halters, Knee Caps, Fetlock Boots.

Harness, Driving Reins, Driving & Buggy Whips Saddle Cloths and Pony Clothing. Horse Brushes & Stable Requisites of all kinds. Riding Brushes, Racing Colours, Covert Coats, Race Scarves, Gloves, Collars, Shirts, &c., &c. Tall White Hats, Silk Hats, New Felt Hats. .. Riding Boots, Jockey Boots, Racing Boot Tops.

SEAVE CRAWFORD&COX

Hongkong, 4th February, 1800.

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TAILORS. HATTERS, SHIRTMAKERS, AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS.

Ulsters & Inverness CAPES. Chesterfield & Covert COATS. Cheviot & Saxony SUITINGS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS. RACING COLORS.

RIDING BREECHES. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890

GO | Ladies' HABITS. ULSTERS. DRAB SHELL HATS.

BOOTS and SHOES. Gent's DRESS SHIRTS. " UNDERCLOTHING. New FELT HATS (latest styles) Travelling RUGS & MAUDS GLADSTONE BAGS. Single & Double TERAI HATS | PORTMANTEAUS, &c., &c.

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ADIES' and CHILDREN'S WHITE STRAW HATS. SPRING FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c., &c. These goods have been manufactured for us by special arrangement on the earliest Spring models.

W. POWELL & CO.

Victoria Exchange. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890

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BOOKS TO BE READ IMMEDIATELY.

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YANKEE AT THE COURT OF KING ARTHUR," by Mark Twain, with 220 illustrations.....\$3.00 H. M. STANLEY'S LETTERS," being the Story of Emin Pasha's Rescue .................. 0.40 "MISS MEPHISTOPHELES," by Fergus Hume (Author of "The Mystery of a Hansom KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 6th February, 1890.

HAS JUST RECEIVED

EW Fancy Cabinet Photo Frames.

Portable Music Cases. Travelling Stationery Cases. New designs in Inkstands. Hazeli's Cyclopædia, 1890. Whitaker's Almanack, ,, Almanack de Gotha. New Work on Artillery, by a German Prince. Queen's Regulations & Admiralty Instructions.

New Tennis Bats. Porcelain Slates. Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. Brown Russia Shoes. Patent-Leather Shoes. Kid Shoes. New French Engravings, New Framed Pictures. Card Boxes.

W. BREWER, UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL

Hongkong, 7th February, 1. 90

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CORPORATION

TOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half Yearly MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February next, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. By Order of the Court of Directors.

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager,

Hongkong, 31st January, 1890. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

above Company is due on the Sixth day of TER of SHARES of the Corporation to SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February INTEREST at the rate of Twelve per cent. next, (both days inclusive), during which period

By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE,

Chief Manager, Hongkong, 11st Innuary, 1890.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS,

THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in the above Company will be heldat the Offices of the Company, Pedder's Street, on MONDAY, the 24th February instant, at Three o'Clock in the afternoon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the gist December, 1889, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

of February instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited.

will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th day

Hongkong, 1st February, 1890.

LL who have ACCOUNTS, against the Cricket Dance and Dinner Committee are requested to send them in before the 15th

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS Hon, Sec. H.K. C.C. Hongkong 6th February, 1890.

# Masonic

OF HONGKONG, No. 618. S.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW, the 12th instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 7th February, 1890.

#### Auctions;

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions

from Mr. G. J. W. KING, to Sell by Public TO MORROW. the 12th February, 1890, at 2 P.M., at hi

Residence No. 17, Mosque Junction. THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., Comprising:

COVERED DRAWING ROOM CENTRE TABLE, MIRROR PICTURES and ORNAMENTS.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDE-BOARD, WHATNOT, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD, IRON COTS, WARDROBES, CHEST of DRAWERS MARBLE TOP TO LET TABLE and WASH-STAND.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. Catalogues will be issued and the whole to be HE Steamship onview on and after Tuesday, the 17th inst. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1800.

I COOKING RANGE.

## Shipping.

STEAMERS.

MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LD. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE' & YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship

"TARTAR." Captain Bailey, will be despatched on or about the 11th inst. This steamer has superior Passenger Accom-

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 5th February, 1800

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY, (Calling at Colombo if sufficient inducement

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"TEHERAN," Captain C. D. Sams, R.N.R., will leave for the above places, TO-MORROW, the 12th February,

Superintendent. Hongkong, 10th February, 1800. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHI COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK. THE Company's Steamship

"PHRA CHOM KLAO," Captain W. H. Walton, will be despatched for the above Ports, on THURSDAY, the 13th inst,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

STEAM TO LONDON, DIRECT, Calling at intermediate Ports. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"SHANGHAI," Captain F. N. Tillard, will leave for the above place, on or about THURSDAY, the 13th February.

This vessel is disconnected from the Mail services, but has excellent accommodation for through passengers (First Saloon only) at reduced rates. Electric Light, Deck cabins, Surgeon carried, &c.

e. L woodin, Superintendent. Hongkong, 31st January, 1800.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAR AND KOBE. (PASSING THROUGH THE INLAND SEA.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "VERONA" will leave for the above places on FRIDA

the 14th instant, at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1800

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA, VIA INLAND SEA

THE Steamship

"FLINTSHIRE, Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above Ports, on the 17th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 10th February, 1890-CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN. QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. THE Company's Steamship

"CHANGSHA." The attention of Passengers is directed to the dress in full ; value of same is required. Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated for- tined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the on the 5th March. want of the engines. Second Class Passengers chamber ensures the supply of fresh provisions | Collector of Customs at San Francisco. during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

## Shipping.

STEAMERS.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,

FOR LONDON. THE Company's Steamship

' OANFA.' W. S. Thomson, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port, on or about the 15th inst. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 1st February, 1890. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEID 1H, MASSU 1, JEDDAH, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, and VENICE, (taking Cargo a through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT,

ADRIATIC PORTS) HE Company's Steamship

" POSEIDON will be despatched as above, on the 16th inst. Cargo will not be received on board after 5 P.M. prior to date of sailing.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 8th February, 1890. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK.

"MÉRIONETHSHIRE," Captain Dowling, will be despatched on or

about the 4th March. This Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 5th February, 1890.

## Mails.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA. N SUNDAY, the 16th day of February 1890, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "BRAUNSCHWEIG," Captain A. Meier, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE & CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon,

Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on 15th February, (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). tents and Value of Packages are required.

Cargo will be received on Board until 4 p.m.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Gangtone 22nd January 1800 U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN

FRANCISCO. THE U.S. Mail Steamship

of Steamers.

"CITY OF PEKING' will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama on WEDNESDAY, the 26th February, at NOON, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports,

to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic line:

First-class Fares granted as follows :---To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months..... To Liverpool...... 325.00 To London ..... 330.00

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers Company and other Steamers. application. Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific

and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan for vice versa) within one year will be allowed a

Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. Consular Involces to accompany Cargo des-

United States, should be sent to the Company's For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company.

No. 50 A. Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN,

## Mails.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, BRIN-DISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND

LONDON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA ANI AUSTRALIA.

N.B. - CARGO CAN THE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSHILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PANINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM "PENINSULAR," Capt. W.J. Webber, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON VIA BOMBAY & SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th February, at Noon. Cargo will be received on hoard until 4 P.M.,

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later

than by the direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hong-

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

P. & O. S. N. Calls Office. Monelione, 1st February " o OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

Marseilles. 🕟

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES. MEXICO.

EUROPE; "THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

THE Steamship " BELGIC"

at I P.M. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received at

previous to salling. First-class Fares granted as follows: To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months..... N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills To Liverpool ...... 325.00

> Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application... Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern

Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.

tined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's. Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

. C. D. HARMAN, Hongkong, 18th January, 1890

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED

3,167 Tons Register, Captain F. H. Wallace, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C. via INLAND SEA, KOHE & YOKOHAMA, on, To be followed by the S.S. "BATAVIA" on

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Posts, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points by the To other European Points at proportionate regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship

of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Through Passage Tickets granted to England, Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines

First-class Faxes granted as follows :---To Vancouver and Victoria... (Mex.)\$210.00 To Montreal New York, &cc...... 290.00 To Liverpool ..... 325.00

To London..... 330.00 To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers. discount of to per cent. This allowance does of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the not apply to through fares from China and Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo desthe day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will | tined to Points in the United States, should be Williams, Commander, will be despatched as | bo received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; | sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to above on THURSDAY, the 20th inst., at NOON. | all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad- Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C.

All Parcels must be sent to our Office and are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until [ P.M. the

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, 7th February, 199

BURD, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 P.M., on the day before sailing.

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for

Superintendent.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND

ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

will be despatched for San Francisco, wid Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 13th February,

the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day

To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Fapan to Europe. Consular Involces to accompany Cargo des-

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company. No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STATES AND EUROPE, THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. THE British Steamship

THURSDAY, the 6th March, at NOON. the 3rd Apill and "ABYSSINIA" on the 24th

of Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 4 w.w.

day previous to sailing, For information as to Passage or Freight.

#### Intimations.

#### DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED. CHEMISTS.

SELECT MEDICINAL PREPARATIONS. TONICS, &c. THEMICAL FOOD, or Syrup of the

Phosphate of Iron, Lime, Potash and Prepared in strict accordance with the formula

of Edward Parrish of Philadelphia .- An excellent Tonic for ladies and children.

Per hottle, 40, 70 Cents and \$1.25. Dr. Easton's Syrup of the Phosphate of Iron, Quinine, and Strychnia.

A prompt and powerful Tonic, very beneficial in all cases of debility, where there is susceptibility to fever. A certain specific in cases of exhaustion and want of nervine power, arising from over mental exertion and the depressing is flance of the climate.

Per bottle, \$1 and \$1.75. Fourne's Liver Tonic or Compound-Concen-

trated Chiretta Mixture. 1 This mixture is prepared from the recipe of a celebrated Indian physician. It is widely used throughout India and Burmah, as the most successful medicine in those cases of liver and kidney derangement, brought on by the evil effects of malaria, or too long residence in a tropical climate.

It is a powerful Tonic to the digestive organs, and gradually removes the most complicated forms of indigestion. Per bottle, \$1.50.

## WINES AND SPIRITS.

BY APPOINTMENT.

#### A. S. WATSON & CO., LD. (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old landed Brands, all of which are of exlanded Brands, all of which are of excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the

best growths at moderate prices. no In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality desired.

Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general ust.) A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule .....\$10 Vintage, Superior quality, Red Capsules ...... 12 C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule 14 Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) ...... 18 SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule..... Superior Pale Dry, dinner

wine, Green Seal Capsule...7.50 Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule ..... 10 Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule...... 10 Superior Old Pale choice old Wine. White Seal Capsule......

E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled) ...... 14

Quarte. Pinte. CLARETS. A Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule ......\$4 St. Estephe, Red Capsule ... 4.50 C St. Julien .....

La Rose ..... BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule......\$12 B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule .......14 Very Old Liqueur Cognac Red Capsule ...... 18 Hennessy's Finest Very Old

Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vin-

tage, Red Capsule ...... 24 SCOTCH WHISKY. Thorne's Biend, White Cap-UIC ..... Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark..... 8 Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet,

Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark..... D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule ... 10 Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule 12 IRISH WHISKY. John Jameson's Old, Green

Capsulc..... John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule...... 10 C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule...... 12 GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY,

fineold, Red Capsule, with Name. 10 A Fine Old Tom, White Capsule. 4.50 B Fine Unsweetened, White

Capsule .....4.50 Finest, Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule ...... 12

Good Leeward Island ... \$1.50 per Gallon. LIQUEURS. Benedictine Maraschino Herring's Cherry Cordial Curaçoa

Dr. Slegert's Angostura Chartreuse Bitters, &c.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1890.

#### TELEGRAMS.

BRAZIL

LONDON, January 30th. The United States of America has recognized the Republic of Brazil.

#### RUSSIA AND CHINA.

by the General Staff, upon the military forces in China and the condition of the Russian forts on the frontier. Most of the superior officers and several Grand Dukes were present.

HER MAJESTY.

January 31st. The Queen is expected to vist Aix-les-Bains at the end of March.

PORTUGAL. Major Serpa Pinto has arrived at Delagon

The Grand Duke Nicholas is suffering from

cancer, and is ordered to Nice in the hope of prolonging his life.

NETHERLANDS INDIA.

THE HAGUE, January 31st. The Colonial Clause in the State Budget has been rejected by the First Chamber by a majority of onc.

FRANCE.

LONDON, February 9th. The Duke of Orleans thas been arrested in Paris on a charge of seeking to enlist private

THE NEW CRUISER.

At the trial of the cruiser Barracouta a boiler exploded, injuring ten of the crew, two fatally.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A DAILY Japanese paper will shortly be established in Shanghai.

THERE will be a game of Polo on the Race course, to-morrow, at 4.45 p.m.

MESSRS. Adamson, Bell & Co., agents for the Canadian-Pacific Line, inform us that the steamship Batavia arrived at Vancouver on the 9th

THE Hyogo News hears that there is a likelihood of the P. & O. Co. shortly running their steamers up to Liverpool, for the purposes of loading, and so avoid the heavy railway charges from Cottonopolis to London.

THERE were altogether about three hundred distinct epidemics of influenza in Europe between 1510, when the disease was first noted at Malta, and 1850. In 1729 the whole of Europe suffered.

THERE will be a regular meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 1165, E.C., held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Saturday, the 15th inst. at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

THE numbers of cloisters and monks in Spain have increased with astounding rapidity of late years. Spain new has 29,220 monks and 25,000 nuns, in 1,330 cloisters, and 170 orders. In Barcelona alone there are 163 cloisters for

THE master-cook at the Artillery Barracks went. out to take the air yesterday afternoon. But an inquisitive sentry found that he was also taking a mutton chop and a pound of coffee, and, although the cook tempted him with the offer of the former, gave him into custody, Fourteen

"TO-DAY," said the preacher, "we are taking a collection to procure a new suit for our city missionary. This morning, when the plate was passed, we got two buttons. We will now have the plates again passed, and we trust your generous hearts will freely respond and give us | only \$300, and he agreed to take that, and two the rest of the suit."

In recognition of his kindly interest in the Japanese section at the Paris Exhibition, and the facilities afforded to the exhibitors in that section, the Japanese Government are about confer on President Carnot the decoration of the 1st Order, and minor decorations on the officials and judges of the Exhibition.

Two or three wealthy merchants of Tokyo are making arrangements to establish a large Japanese and Chinese bank by a combination of Chinese and Japanese capitalists, and have called upon Count Soyeshima, who had previously started a similar venture, but without success. with regard to the best way of going to work.

A YOKOHAMA paper says,:-- The holders of | defendant's statement as to the agreement. founders' shares in the Trust and Loan Company must feel happy, as there are buyers in he made the agreement subject to the approval Yokohama at \$700 for a £1 founders' share ! of Mr. Webber, and as he did not approve of it But imagine what must be the feelings of some it fell through. the original owners in Shanghai and Hongkong who, unaware of the value of what they were to I similar testimony. receive, disposed of their found-ra' shares for a mere song,—Aye.

aside, the plaintiffs to pay all costs, and Mr. WITH the steady increase in the manufacture | Webber to refund \$74 to the defendant. of beer in Japan, there has arisen a corresponding demand for cork. This demand has not hitherto been met, the cork tree not being, it was thought, indigenous to Japan. The objer day. however, according to a native paper, a Mr. Ogasawara espied among a lot of wood he had recently purchased a strange-looking young tree which, upon examination, was found to be the tree from the bark of which cork is obtained. Further inquiries revealed the fact that it was of abundant growth in Shikoku, where it was commonly known under the name of Hataga.

night in the gymnasinm of the Victoria Re- | ment. The Viceroy Li Han-chang returned tho creation Club as a complimentary farewell to Governor's call yesterday and remained in con-Sergeant-Instructor Mills, who is under orders | sultation an unusually long time. It was noticed in a subsequent trial of skill with M. Piry-a Hongkong is not to lose the services of its very promising young fencer-Mr. Drury's very able Governor, for His Excellency is fully superior reach enabled him to score a clever determined to return and to resume his adminisvictory. Sergeant-Instructor Mills and his tration in October next, and complete his full excellent exhibition with the foils, which was luisome review in the Times of Sir George highly appreciated. Mr. J. M. Laing and Mr. Bowen's life, only tends to show in clearer light A. Rodger had three, exciting rounds with the what this colony escaped in getting quit of that gloves, the latter, a veteran of considerable ex, microbic anob and humbug par excellence. perience in the manly art, having much the better | Upon General Edwards expressing a desire to of the encounter, using his right with telling effect inspect the Fortifications forming the defense at close quarters. Gymnastic exercises on the of Canton, the Viceroy readily accorded bar, the horse, etc., were gone through by the permission; orders were promptly given to two Instructors and Messrs. Howard, Underwood, General Fong to make all necessary arrange, and Jackson, when some very pretty work was ments for General Edwards to prosecute his Sergeant-Instructor Mills was then presented of the Bogue, with an illuminated address, a silver spirit flask, Momentous financial changes are on the two Japanese tobacco, jars and a silver-mounted tapis with the opening of the official seals pipe, subscribed for by his pupils and friends, The lo-day. The new Kerosine Oil Farmer has presentation was made by Mr. R. Frascr-Smith, | been installed, and a new Weising farmer, (one whose references to Mr. Mills' services in the | who knows not Joseph)-not our esteemed John cause of athletics in Hongkong were loudly Joseph Q.C., he it understood-takes office, applauded. Sergeant-Instructor Mills replied in bringing a large quantity of additional shekels A conference has been held at St. Petersburg suitable terms, warmly thanking the members of to public (and private for that matter) treasuries, the V. R. C. for their hearty appreciation of his | The buildings of the new schools for the services and asking that the courtesy he had | American mission built at Fa-ti, on the site of always received should be extended to his one of the Flower Gardens, are beginning to

and the proceedings terminated.

A RIGULAR meeting of the Eothen Mark Lodge of Hongkong, No. 264, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Wednesday, the 19th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

At the Police Court this morning Mr. J. F. Scheffer, 77, Wyndham Street, charged his two obtain a pality loan of \$2,000,000 from some chair-coolies with stealing \$140. On Sunday | American financiers. Mr. F. J. H. Nienstead he put the money in a box in his room, and unluckily left the key in the lock. Yesterday moming the box and key were still in position, but the wealth had winged away. The prisoners being the only persons having access to the room, they were naturally suspected. Mr. Wodehouse remanded them, on bail.

WE hear that General Booth (Commander-inchief of the Salvation Army) has arrived by the Verona from Yokohama. We recommend wearers of the cloth to avoid any attempt at argument with the General at the present time, for he is said to be dyspeptic, irrilable, and addicted to contradict anyone who has the effrontery to call in question his well-digested opinions upon subjects of the day, to say nothing of religious matters. His son-in-law is "holding the fort" during the General's present tour

A JAPAN contemporary says: -The improved patent scrubber for cleaning the bottoms of ships, of which Captain Edwards, of the steamship Euchrates, is the inventor, was seen on Tuesday afternoon last, at work on the sides of the steam ship McBeth, then lying in dry dock at Hiogo The apparatus worked with unfailing satisfaction, succeeding in a short space of time in scrubbing perfectly clean a wide space on each side of the vessel. We understand that this clever patent can be applied at all times during a vessel's voyage, at sea or in harbour, and it is evident from its many successful performances in the past and exhibition of usefulness which it afford ed on the last occasion of its trial, that a future of success may be anticipated for this useful in

#### SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before Mr. Fielding Clarke, Acting Chie,

A SHARE CASE. J. F. C. da Reza and another sought to recover from H. A. Shirazee the difference on 50 China Sugar shares, sold on his guarantee to Cho Lip Chee, an employe of the China Sugar Refinery. -Mr. Phillippo, instructed by Mr. Webber, appeared for the plaintiffs, and Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mr. Hastings, defended.—The plaintiff's case was that last year he sold the shares through defendant, for delivery on the 30th September. They were not taken up, Cho Lip Chee making an arrangement with his creditors to pay 25 cents to the dollar. Plaintiff therefore turned to Shirazee for the \$2,362 due, and Shirakee tried to make a composition, which was rejected on the advice of plaintiff's solicitor, Mr. Webber. Plaintiff afterwards obtained a decree of the Court ordering the payment. The iss e now before the Court was-" Was a binding agreement for the settlement of the matters in question in this action entered into between the plaintiffs and the

The defendant admitted that he sold the shares for the plaintiffs, and guaranteed the purchaser, Cho Lip Chee. When they were not taken up Mr. Webber issued a writ to recover the money, and witness agreed to pay half-some in cash. and promissory notes for the rest. Mr. Webber wanted 25 per cent. in cash and 25 per cent. on promissory notes. Witness told him he had promissory notes for the rest. He took the money, and, when witness tendered the notes, said that he was going to Shanghai and it would do when he came back. On his return, when witness again tendered the promissory notes, Mr. Webber refused to take them unless 25 per cent, was paid in cash. A few days later witness learnt that judgment had been obtained against him, and he went to see Mr. da Roza, who promised to accept 25 per cent, if witness could get it from Cho Lip Chee, and \$880 in promissory notes, one for January and one for March, on condition that he (defendant) paid the costs of the judgment. Witness agreed, and paid \$74-to Mr. Webber, but a few days later Mr. da Roza said he was

going to upset the whole arrangement. Mr. Daver and Mr. Ramjahm corroborated Mr. da Roza, on the other hand, stated that

Mr. Webber and Mr. Van Eps, his clerk, gave His lordship held that an agreement was arrived at, and ordered the decree to be set

#### (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CANZON,

Canton, February 10th, 1890. Governor des Vœux took his departure per steamship Hankow for Hongkong this morning. It would seem that His Excellency has thoroughly enjoyed his visit, and fully appreciated the cordiality of his reception by the new Viceroy For many re son this indicates closer and more A VERY interesting assault-at-arms was held last | friendly relations with the Hongkong Governfor home, his term of service in Hongkong hav- that the Viceroy looked remarkably well and ing expired. There was a large attendance of hale for his years, the silvery grey moustache and about American and Russian promises ! Rather members and others interested in athletics, and imperial which His Excellency wears, after the like mamma's piecrust, eh |-meant to be a first class entertainment was thoroughly fashion of his distinguished brother and the late | broken | Why don't you try strict neutrality ? appreciated. Mr. Drury and Bergeant-Instruc- Tieng Kwo-fan, sets off the strong family This leaning game appears played out ! Don't tor Mills had a capital bout with the leatures of the Li family. It will afford you thinks so? Now Messrs. Denny, Allen, folls, the amateur fairly holding his own, and most general satisfaction to know that Dye & Co. speak up, and never say die ! successor, Sergeant-Instructor Tennant, gave an term of three years more, of office. The late put in by both amateurs and professionals. Inspection to-day, inclusive of the fortifications

successor. Good wishes were then exchanged raise their heads above the verdure on the shore on the side of the river opposite Shameen.

KOREA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) CHEMULPO, February 28th, 1889. \$2,000,000 LOAN.

It is loudly rumoured that Korea is about to

flate marshal of the United States Consulate in K e and now a military instructor (? dril sergeant) &c., &c.], is down here from the capital as the guest of Messrs. Morse, Townsend & Co., with whom, I hear, he hopes to conclude this gigantic fiscal arrangement. Seeing that Korea's debts amount to something over a million, it is somewhat difficult to estimate what benefit the country can derive from this loan, even-as is very doubtful-should some liberal Yankees see fit to make the plunge. It is not two millions; but five or ten times that amount, which this country tequires for the purpose of clearing off all her irritating liabilities, launching out upon much needed reforms, and backing up various languishing industries.

Even should Korea make a dig loan or this abroad. \$2,000,000 job; then, who is to manipulate the funds? Who is to use the loan to the best advantage? Is it Mr. Nienstead? Is it Mr. F. J. H. Nienstead who is to become the Finance Minister for His Majesty the King of Korea?" Or is it his Chief-General Dye? Of one thing we may be sure and it is this, that if the money lent to Korea is placed in the hands of the ordinary run of Korean officials it will be squandered wholesale, and Government before a year's time will be in a far worse position than at the present time, and the dangers of the situation, instead of being reduced, will be hundred fold augmented: Such is the prospect regarding the Townsend-Nienstead Two Million Dollar (1889) Loan

As to the benefits which Korea has obtained in her intercourse with the United States of America I shall have occasion to show your readers before long that, when summing up, those who are in a losition to calculate with accuracy find a large balance on the debit side of the account.

THE MILITARY OUTRAGE.

News is to hand that Mr. Secretary Blaine has instructed Mr. Dinemore, the United States Minister to Korea, to see see that the efficers-Major Lee and Colonel Cummins-who have been the victims of diplomatic intrigues on the nart of General Dye, Doctor Allen (the Missionary diplomat), and certain other foreigners and unscrupultous native officials, are to be paid in full by the King of Korea, and to receive ample apologies, and that should his Majesty refuse prompt compliance with these reasonable demands the United States will want to know the reason why! I am glad to hear this, for it ever officers of the army were wrongfully treated by a corrupt, impotent and barbarous administration, egged on by scheming self-aggrandizing impostors, it is these gent'emen, whose grievances were thoroughly exposed last November in the columns of your widely read journal; an expose; in fact, which has been echoed and endorsed th aughout America from North to South and East to West:

DEER ISLAND AGAIN! Last spring it was noised abroad that Russia had attempted to acquire the right of establishing a coal depôt on Deer Island-one, of the most important strategic points of this peninsula This was flatly contradicted in an authoritative manner by those who arrived at conclusion based upon such data as they then passed. A the present time Japan has a coal depot on the N.W. end of the island, which I have personally inspected. This being so it is open now to Russia, or any other Power (by virtue of the most favoured nation clauses in the treaties) to follow the example of Japan in this connection But it is probably not Deer Island that the Mus covites really want; it may be a more suitable oint even than this. How funny if my prophesy should be fulfilled some day. Then where would the London and China Express find itself? Just the laughing stock of its contemporaries, and the Standard in particular. Go Roosher old boy! Nihil sine Inbore, you know! Don't cave in! Nil desperandum!

ALLEN AND CHO SIN HEE By wire I've heard that Dr. Allen, late Foreign Secretary of the Korean Legation in Washington, together with Cho Sin Hee, the accredited Korean Ambassador to the Courts of Europe, who never got further than Hongkong, where he has been living for some eighteen months, are both passengers per steamship Tsuruga to this port from Nagasaki Now was the learned, well-posted medico-diplomate who pressed the King, in concert with Judge Denny, and other disinterested scions of the Corps Diplomatique, to despatch An bassadors to Europe and America. It is, therefore amusing to observe these two high and mighty officials coming back together ! More of this

PAK CHUNG YANG PUNISHED!

Some of those who are ashamed of it are industriously denying that Pak, the returned envoy from America, has been punisheded in accordance with the demands of China. These men are arrant liars and contemptible fools. Pak has been degraded and sentenced to exile. is a nice hit at America, for he was taken from Korea completely under the wing the Great U.S., being carried from Chemulpo in the U.S.S. Omaha ! Now he is punished, and we find America doing nothing to save him. This, together with other little affairs, should show Corea what a rotten reed she has been leaning | ejected by the soldiers. on for the past 5 years! As I predicted long ago, the United States and Russia are dragging Corea into a deep morass, out of which her self-constituted shepherds will do nought-can do nothing—to help her out, but on the contrary, they will desert (aye, even have already descried) her in the hour of peril. Now Mr. Chosen, how

COLONEL CHAILLE LONG (BEY). The many Far Eastern friends of Colonel Chaillé Long (Bey)—one of Gordon's most distinguished Staff officers-late charge doffaires for the United States of America in Korea, will learn with mingled regret and pleasure of the resignation of this able and popular official from the American diplomatic Service in order to accept an important Civil Service position under the New York State Government. Colonel Long, it is said, will soon publish an interesting monograph on social and political life in Korea. The work, critical and satirical in tone, will contain important revelations concerning Korea's misgovernment. As Korea has had several advisors for the past five or six years, of whom Judge Denny is by no means the least conspicuous, it will be surprising indeed if the learned judge can altogether escape the lash of frony which such an able expositor as Long Bey is capable of wielding, when occasion requires-when an Augean stable requires thorough cleansingvide his expose of consular agency jobs in Egypt?

ON THE WAR-PATH! The Dutch-American military instructor Nichstead, who recently, in company with other kong Telegraph, has announced his intention the station.

of sucing that paper for criminal libel ! .He has been trotting around Scoul vainly seeking sympathy and vindicatory evidence. specially objects to the words in the article under notice "neither a soldier nor a gentle-

FOREIGN DIPLOMATS SNUBBED!

A good deal of discontent prevails in the diplomatic circles of the Kore n Capital owing to the rude treatment to which, time and again, they have been subjected at the royal palace. Chinese New Year's Day, for instance, the Corps diplomatique was invited to audience at 9 o'clock a.m. sharp. It was not until noon, however, that they were received, after cooling their heels for three hours in the digusting kennel which is known as the waiting room, situated amongst the miserable hovels of which the palace compound is chicfly compounded. Punctuality is usually the mark of culture in Kings; but the ruling monarch of Great Korea evidently thinks differently, as also do many of his Ministers of State. It must be admitted, however, that the present King has never (like the Shah or Cetywayo or Mark Twain) been

Moral: - When you go to audience of King of Korea take a bundle of cigars and flask of whisky in your pocket pour passer le temps.

Judge Denny, ex-Consul-General, ex-Magistrate, expectan'-Ambassador, adviser of the King of Korea and Director of Foreign Affairs, (of the world?) is said to have been seen entering the Palace a few days ago looking very ill. M informant said he board that the Judge is suffering from various (no, varicose) veins extending from the heart down to the big toe of the right foot; and that rheumatic symptoms have set in. What an ending to three years of mis-rule (or no rule) in Korea! Nothing remains to mark his regime except the well-beaten track extending from his house to the back door of the Russian Legation! Cheer up, Sam!

# LATE TELEGRAMS.

BERLIN, January 15th.

The Berlin Liberal Press is attacking Great Britain for her action towards Portugil. The semi-official papers are however silent on the

LONDON, January 15th. The Princess of Wales is laid up in bed with

severe cold. LISBON, January 17th. The English here are so harassed by public animosity that they propose sending a deputation to Lord Salisbury orging conciliation. Many English who were employed here have been

LONDON, January 17th. Mr. C. R. M. Talbot, Gladstonian member for Mid-Glamorganshire, called the father of the House of Commons, died to-day, aged 87. The donations to the Johnstown disaster relief fund, which came from all parts of the world,

amounted to nearly three million dollars. The despatches relating to Africa published by Portugal show the firmness of Lord Salisbury and Portugal's persistent shuffling. In replying te the Portuguese claims, Lord Salisbury especially ridicules the claim founded on the ruins of the Portuguese forts, which are two

The Czar has approved of the scheme for the construction of a Railway along the shores of the Black Sea.

ZANZIBAR, January 18th. The British fleet returned here to-day, making an imposing display.

ST. PETERSBURGH, Jacuary 18th.

Russian official journals declare that England is bound to arbitrate in the dispute with Portugal. The abolition of autonomy has been decided upon in Finland. It is feared it will interfere with German mining rights,

The Princess of Wales has recovered. LISBON, January 18th.

Twenty Royal marines were arrested here for demonstrating. The Portuguese merchant meditate boycotting England. The Madrid Government expressed sympathy with Portugal. Meetings to ascertain public

opinion are to be held to-morrow. Dom Pedro is determined to winter at Cannes. LONDON, January 1 th.

The Belgian miners have decided upon a fresh Prince Bismarck has consented to attend and address a Socialist meeting.

The judges and magistrates have resigned i a body in Crete, where quarrels and distur bances, attended with severe injuries, are again of daily occurrence.

The Daily Chronicle's Rome correspondent says that Sir Lintorn Simmons and the Vaticar have signed an agreement regarding the Church at Malta. 🚣

LISBON, January 18th. The Portuguese populace is calming down the press urging the necessity for prudence. PARIS. January 20th.

An uproarious sitting of the Chamber of Deputies took place to-day. The Chamber had to be adjourned three times owing to the tumu which reigned, and which was caused by the Boulangist Deputies objecting to M. Jostrin "the peasant deputy," speaking. 'M. Deroulede | considered as the cream of our players, and who took a leading part in the disturbance was ordered to leave the Chamber, and as he persistently refused to obey the order he was I fairly representative one, capable of holding its

Washington, January 20th, Mr. Windon, Secretary to the Treasury, has introduced a Bill into the house of representatives authorizing the issue of Treasury notes on deposits of bullion.

CAIRO, January 20th.

The Egyptian Ministry this evening gave banquet to Mr. Stanley, who, in the speech he made, recounted the incidents of his journey and referred especially to the hesitation of Emi Pasha. He told him that if he preferred remain in Africa, he would make him the Governor of another fair province, LONDON, January 21st.

Lieutenant-Colonel McNiel Walter is gazetted Colonel to the Manchester Regiment; Colonel Thackwell to the Connaught Regiment, and Colonel Lecocy is posted to command the Artillery in Ireland, Augustus Henry, King is to command the Artillerg in Malta.

At the request of Lord Salisbury, for political reasons, Colonel Everett, Professor of Military Topography at the Suff College, Sandhurst, has desisted from delivering a lecture at Aldershot sculls, but after the four oared race Treguthen on " Our Future Battlefield in Asia."

Dr. Nathan Adler, Chief Rabbi and President of the Jews' College in London, is dead, and There is reason to believe that the rise that is. taking place in American cotton staples is due: to fresh operations caused by last year's corner.

BERLIN, January 21st. A Bill has passed the Reichstag for subsidising an East Africa steamship line.

ROME, January 21st. died from pneumonia, was to-day taken to the on the Saturday Mesdames Dare and Chator, for railway station for conveyance to France, and Singapore, and Mesdames Palmer and Just for a marked display of sympathy toward France Hongkong, played a double tennis match on the was evoked on the occasion. All the Ministers ground at Government House. Hongkong won American military celebrities, was the subject followed the coffin, which had a military escort, the first two games, then Singapore won two. of an extended notice in the Hong. and the whole of the garrison lined the route to Hongkong got, another, and Singapore got the last three, In the second sett Hongkong won

LONDON, January 22nd. . Mr. Goschen, addressing the electors of St. George's, Hanover Square, yesterday, regretted the dispute with Portugal regarding the Nyassaland question, but said that it was due to the encroachment of the Portuguese agent over territory to which Portugal had no shadow of right. The British Government, supported by the confidence of their countrymen, would, he said, carry the matter to a successful conclusion. As regards the Budget, he deprecated any immediate hopes being indulged in, but would be rejoiced if he was able to relieve taxation in any way.

The number of deaths from influenza in London la t week was 126, and from diseases of the respiratory organs 1,010. Two savants in Vienna have discovered the influenza bacillus.

Discontent is expressed here that Bombay officers were unrepresented among the pallbearers at Lord Napier's funeral, considering that the illustrious soldier was Commander-in-Chief of Bombay when he undertook the Abyssinian expedition. The omission is complained of as regrettable.

The troopship Malabar proceeds on her voyage to-morrow or Friday. Perfect order was maintained on board at the time of the collision. A special army order amounces the Queen's deep regret at the death of Lord Napier. LISBON, January 22nd.

Though there is a lull in the popular excitement regarding Nyassaland the feeling runs high. Several Portuguese subjects holding British decorations have returned their medals to the Minister. Boycotting British merchandise continues. LONDON, January 22nd,

Fighting is reported to have occurred in Crete, many soldiers and insurgents being killed and

The Vienna doctors claim to have discovered the influenza bacillus, which is almost similar to that of pneumonia.

LISBON, January 22nd. Boycotting of English goods continues to increase. The hotels here are crowded with foreign commercial travellers pressing other merchandise, and they are thrivingly busy. Rumours are circulated here that the English have seized Quillimane.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 22nd. An Imperial Ukase has been issued ordering the Don Cossack contingent to be increased by four regiments in time of war.

CONSTANTINOPLE, January 22nd. Cholera is spreading in Mesopotamia, and three thousand deaths have already taken place in Bussorab, LONDON, January 23rd.

Lord Galloway was charged in Glasgow. to-day with annoyance to a girl. His lordship, however, denied the charge. The case was dismissed as being "non-proven." Mr. H. Stanley will remain in Egypt until the

middle of March. An explosion occurred in a powder mill at Edinburgh last night, at which five persons were

killed and many injured. The Czar has decorated a Servian Regiment and three editors of Servian papers who are friendly to Russia. Benzon, the Jubilee plunger has been arrested

at Nice, charged with cashing a forged cheque. There have been stupendous hurricanes in the Atlantic Ocean, and thirty vessels are over-due, including the National line steamer Erin. Mr. Gladstone, speaking at Chester, said that he regretted the difficulty that had arisen with our ancient ally, Portugal, but declined to discuss

of the case. He attacked Turkish oppression in Crete and Armenia, and said he believed that the movement in favour of Scotch autonomy was Lisbon, January 24th.

the subject until he was cognisant of the details

A reaction has set in here against the commercial anti-English propaganda. At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, the leading manufacturer declared that commercial war with England was impossible and

that the London market was indispensable to Portugal, BERLIN. January 24th. The Emperor William has ordered the arming of all German cavalry with the hollow steel-

shafted lance. The Reichstag has rejected an important clause in the Socialist Bill in defiance of the

Government.

belter opponents.

OUR SINGAPORE VISITORS.

The Strails Times of the 3rd inst., just to hand contains a resumil of the great Sports week last month, shewing the views of our visitors very frankly, and, in some respects, amplifying the reports which we gave at the time. Respecting Cricket the writer says:-Cricket, the only game to which we were challenged by Hongkong, the other challenges originating from their side of the water. but at the same time a regular programme of engagements with our Northern neighbours was drawn up, which engagements with one exception—double sculls—were carried out to the letter. Now, as regards the cricket. the team we sent to Hongkong was not comprised of all our cricketers, but in the team there were some of our very best men, for without a 'shade of suspicion Messrs, Birch, Fox, Hornby, Higginbotham and one or two others may be taking the team on the whole, it was then. I although it may not be now, considered to be a own on behalf of the Straits Settlements. -But, he adds, in Hongkong there is really a better class of cricket than in the Straits, and probably our captain has found this out, and eyery member of the team must admit that they lost the day simply because they had harder and

Regarding the results of the rowing, he says of the four-oared race-"on the start both boats got away together, but after that Hongkong seemed to have it all their own way and although we rushed in only about two lengths to the bad. i was believed that Kennedy, the stroke of the Hongkong boat, allowed it to be so as to make our rowing appear not so bad as it really was. What our boat seemed to lack was strength and form, which in plain English means that we were no good at all against our opponents. . . . To descant upon the various faults in our Crew is useless, but let us hope that if the Hongkong people intend sending us a four in the Autumn we shall be able to have a crew able to hold their own and worthy to compete against a crew from the rendevious of aquatic sports. Some and Nanson felt unable to take in another race

on that same day. Referring to the lawn-tennis, he accounts for the loss of the doubles by stating that Mr. Owen was out of condition, but in the singles "Coxonseemed to show his very best form, and completely vanquished our man, who, although managing to rescue the third sett, was never, b fore or after, in

We were unable to give the following details: The body of the French Ambassador, who lof the ladies match at the time. It seems that

the first two games, and Singapore won the following six and gained the day 6-3, 6 2 In the billiard-match "Braddell-made nine double figure breaks, while his opponent only made seven, and our man's play was exceedingly good, in fact, he said afterwards, that it was the best game he had ever played."

The Singapore Free Press is good enough to say of our Pantomime-" Seldom, we imagine, has the piece been produced with more taste and elegance than on this occasion; surpassing, as it is acknowledged to have done, all previous efforts of the A.D.C., it colipsed the performances of any provincial company that we have witnessed.

TERRIBLE STORM IN JAPANESE WATERS:

The Japanese Official Gazette of the 31st ulto. contains the following telegram received from China, under date of the 29th ult :- "In corsequence of storm in Boshiu sea and neighbourhood on the 24th ult about 900 fishing boats were wrecked and many persons drowned. Officials have been sent up to ascertain the particulars. which when received, will be made public." The Japan Herald learns from a person who came to Tokyo from that place that the wind blew from the S. E. about noon and then veered round to the N. at about 5 p.m. There were some fishing boats from the provinces of Awa and Kadzusa in the neighbourhood of Funakatamura and five or six villages in Awa-gun, province of Awa. These bonts were caught by the storm and about 800 of them were damaged or blown over to neighbouring villages, but only 200 or thereabouts are missing. Some were subsequently found at Ashima, Miura-sahi, Amatsu and others have been lost. Old and young are searching for the boats daily; the number of fishermen in a boat is generally 8 or 10, but in some instances only solitary occupants have been discovered in them, all the rest having been washed overhoard and drowned. The condition of the villages beggars description, but they are being relieved by the district office, which is supplying them with money and food. Search is now being instituted among the neighbouring islands by the authorities.

THB "ARIZONA KICKER."

#### THANKS, GENTLEMEN.

On Monday evening a committee of prominent citizens waited on us and tendered us the nomination for Lientenant Governor of this State, accompanied by such words of praise and esteem as brought, tears to our eyes. While we had to decline the nomination, owing to the pressure of our private business the spirit which actuated those gentlemen will make a better man of us. There is everything to encourage a Western editor to git up und hump himself like a jackrabbit carrying sail before a pack of coyotes. and we wouldn't exchange our present position with Mr. Wanamaker if he would throw in ten Sunday-schools to boot.

THE JUDGE HAS GONE. More than three months ago the Kicker very kindly but firmly informed Judge Gridley that this wasn't the climate he was seeking after, and once or twice since we have courteously inquired why he didn't get a movement on him. Last Saturday night a committee waited on the Judge. It had a rope along, and the rope was used to elevate the tardy traveler off his feet several times. When lei down for good he had a gargle for sore throat put up at the nearest drug store and then walked. It was a hint not to be disregarded, and he will now honor some other town with his premnce. He was not a subscriber to the Kicker.

THAT'S ACCORDING. A subscriber in Massachussetts writes to inquire if this climate is good for asthma. That's according We have known men to come here and get their breath, within a week and others to lose it inside of three days. great deal depends on the patient. If he comes here with his mind made up to play our game drink our whisky and mix in with our society, his asthma will soon leave him, If he comes in the opposite spirit some one of our townsmen will very likely feel it his solemn duty to give the weary sufferer rest.

A friend of ours over at Tombstone inquires if the St. Paul, Omaha, and Denver papers do not injure our circulation. We answer, not in the slightest. Some of them are taken here for their African missionary news, and others for their market quotations on coyote and rabbi pelts, but they are not considered as rivals in our field. The Kicker not only enjoys a field peculiarly its own, but is backed by a 'grocery, feedstore, hardware, butcher-shop, harness shop, shoestore and job printing office, all under one roof and one grand management-the only institution of its kind in North America.

RECOLLECTIONS OF THE CAP TURE AND OCCUPATION OF THE NATIVE CITY OF SHANGHAI BY THE TRIAD REBELS.

and one day a French frigate anchored off the Kin-lee-yuen Wharf opened fire on the city, which we all thought was now surely doomed to destruction; but, though the shell set fire to several buildings, including a fine temple just inside the city walls, the rebels did not appear the Church of St. Joseph stands, for the purpose of brenching the walls. Day after day, and until at last it was whispered that a practicable ly very much overcome by the heat, and their breach had been effected and that an assault on unaccustomed labours, the French attacking party, who also climbed lightships, compiled valuable statistics of trade, up and passed through the breach, but hardly I furnished meteorological and health reports, and

had they got well inside, when there was a burst of firme and smoke, followed by the crashing sound of muske ty as vicy after volley was poured into them from within, and then the Frenchmen suddenly reappeared rushing madly down the debris of the walls; almost instantly, and before they had well got to the bottom, a swarm of rebels appeared in the breach, and set to work, with the activity, of ants, to repair it, for which the sand bags, which had just been deposited by the Imperialists as they entered, offered them ready materials What had happened was the, while the French had been breaching the walls, the rebels, who had divined their object, had been busily engaged in loop-holing the wal's of a number of large pawn shops and other Luildings just oprosite, and had built up a complete line of interior defences behind which a strong force was chacealed. When the Imperialists came through the breach they were allowed to run along the City Wall, without opposition and in fancied security, trusting to the support of their allies, for whom the rebel-fire was reserved; and when the French party had been forced to retreat, the Imperialists finding themselves cut off became panic stricken, many falling into the hands of the rebels, while the remainder jumped over the city walls, some being killed or others crawling off more or less wounded. The French loss was very severe, and the Imperialists perished in

This success of the rebels availed them little, however, as the only channels by which they had been receiving supplies were now closed. and their numbers rapidly grew less throughdeaths, and descritions; but still they managed to keep their besiegers at bay, until February 1855, when one night, large conflagrations in the city announced that something unusual was taking place. It was soon learned that the town had been abandoned, the rebels having made a desperate attempt to break through the lines that encircled them, in which some were successful, but most of them were captured, and of course suffered a horrible death.

Thus ended the siege, which had been fraught with so much excitement for the foreigners residing here at the time, had completely altered the appearance of the city and surrounding country, and had worked very important changes in the settlement and our relations with the Chinese,

and for the latter had been a blessing in disguise. Of the exciting incidents I have already written perhaps too much; as for the appearance, other information of general interest, and in of the country, for a mile or two from the city walls over the area embraced between the Soochow, Creek and the river above Tunkadoo, on ? diplomatic, political, and commercial there was a scene of the utmost desolation. Lintercourse and regotiations with other Many of the hamlets had disappeared, most of the trees had been out down and the ground had been trodden down and laid waste by the frequent encounters that had token place thereupon. The effect upon the Settlements was, relations with China, and for the valuable however, without doubt, most beneficial.

In the first place the disorder caused by the refugees and vagabands who crowded the place, on the downfall of the city, to say nothing of incursions real and apprehended by the belligerents, showed necessity of a strong local government, and gave rise to the Municipal Council efficient police, which have since so satisfactorily governed and maintained order within Settlements; next the appearance of the place was much improved. The vast suburb on the French side, which before was densely covered with native houses, was never rebuilt, but gradually occupied for foreign purposes, while, as for the Settlement north of the Yangkingpang, its aspect was all greatly changed for the

Previous to the capture of the city by the rebels, the bund only extended up the river as far as the Carlton Road, and the whole space to the s uth of that was occupied by Chinese houses and hovels of a very low class which extended down to the water's edge on the river side, and up the Yangkingpang beyond the Honan road; and as during the siege, this suburb had aff rded a place of refuge to the rebels, and had otherwise been of aid to them, when the city was again in the hands of the Government, it was decided by the native authorities, acting in conjunction with H.B.M. Consul, Mr. Alcock, to have all these buildings pulled down, the materials removed and the land sold by auction. This was accordingly done, and a very dirty mass of native buildings was got rid of. The auction took place at the British Consulate, most of the land being bought by foreigners, which enabled the bund to be carried to the Yangkingpang and along the margin of that creek as So much for a me of the benefit accruing to

foreigners. As for those to the Chinese they have been almost incalculable, and I think it is not too much to say that no event, since the advent of foreigners to China, has had so great an effect in remodelling the institutions of the country, and bringing them more in accordance with the spirit of the age, than this at first sight apparently untoward event. Previous thereto the Customs service not only here but at the other ports was simply a disgrace to the Government. Honest traders had no chance in the field with their unscrupulous competitors, who were disposed to avaid themselves of the opportunities offered to them, by the venality of the customhouse officials, to import and export merchandise for much less than the duty prescribed by the tariff, and in many cases without any payment at all The fall of the city was the death blow to this The episode of the battle of " Muddy Flat," system, and the records of the customhouse, already described by me, took place on the 4th | which were so ruthlessly, trodden under foot by of April, 1854, up to which time the relations | the rabble on the morning of its capture, received between the rebels and foreigners had been the treatment which they, doubtless, in justice rather cordial than otherwise. We used often | deserved. That morning ended the old regime. to go into the city, to see how things were get. For some time after the place was abandoned ting on, and were always kindly received; but | there was no customhouse in operation, and no it was most melancholy to walk through the efficials to collect the duties. During this interdescrited streets of abandoned houses, absolute | regnum the various consuls received from their desolation prevailing on every side, until the countrymen promissory notes for duties accruing quarters occupied by the rebels were reached, on their in ports and exports. Later on a few when there was more life, it is true, but that of | timid officials appeared on the scene, and anything but a cheerful character, as these attempted to levy duties in a boat anchored in wretched outlaws could not but realise that the the river under the guns of the'r fleet; but as ground was rapidly sinking from under them, this, and several other make-shift, failed to and their time when not sleeping or on duty | work satisfactorily, and caused serious inwas passed in opium smoking and other dis- convenience to the mercantile community, sipations. After the 4th of April, for one reason | the treaty consuls, acting with the concurrence another, a less friendly feeling grew up, and, of their respective Ministers, decided at length owing to some outrages on their subjects, the to constitute a joint commission for the collec-French authorities took up arms against them, I tion of Customs dues, and Mr. T. F. Wade, a free invitation to all his Patrons and H.B.M. Vice-Consul, Mr. Lewi. Carr, secretary to Mr. R. M. McLane, U.S. Minister, and Mr. Arthur Smith, of the French Consular Service,

were appointed Commissioners. The old Custom-house being then a complete wreck, a godown on the Nanking road just above to be at all disconcerted. This bombardment where Rosensweig's store now is was selected having failed to produce any material effect, soon for the purpose, and there those gentlemen afterwards some 32-pounder guns were landed commenced their labours, in the, to them, new from the frigate and placed in battery near where | field of piculs and catties, and tacks, mace, and candareens, and I can see them now as I found them one hot summer's day when I called on night after night, a cannonade was continued, | business, clad in the lightest attire, and evident-

the city would be made by a combined force of From this small beginning, which was then French and Imperialists. Having had reliable | regarded only as a temporary expedient, has information of the time when the assault would been gradually evolved, under the guiding hand take place, and posted myself at the top of our of the able Inspector-General, the splendid house, from which, through my glasses, I had a system which now embraces all the many treaty clear view of the operation, at the appointed time | ports of China, and those of Corea as well, and saw a crowd of Chinese soldiers—said to not only ensures the collection of the enormoushave been more than a thousand-scramb- ly increased duties in an honest way, but has ling up the falus and entering by the breach, studded the coast of China with lighthouses, apparently without opposition. Then came provided her navigable rivers with beacons and

Intimations.

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Novelties and finest quality Goods ever imported to the East.

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Captain F. Schulz, will be despatched for the

above Port, TO-MORROW, the 12th instant, al

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the

above Port, on THURSDAY, the 13th instant,

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

Captain T. S. Gardner, will be despatched for the

above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 15th instant

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE

are hereby informed that their goods are being

landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kow-

loon Wharf and Codown Company's Godowns

at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

inst., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insur-

Consignees are hereby informed, that all

monsignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "STRATHEARN," FROM

NEW: YORK.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above

Lading to the undersigned for countersignature

Steamer are requested to send their Bills of

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer

All claims against the Steamer must be sent

Intimations.

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

the above Company will fall due on February

15th next, and is payable at the Hongkong and

INTEREST at the rate of 12 % per annum

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

will be CLOSED from the 5th to 15th February,

Hongkong, 31st January, 1890,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers,

J. WHEELEY,

Secretary,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

will be at once landed and stored at Consignees'

risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be

Hongkong, 6th February, 1990.

Sharighal Banking Corporation.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, 14th January, 1800.

the Meeting."

both days inclusive.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

claims must be made immediately, as none will

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

P.M., instead of as previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong 11th February, 1890.

THE Company's Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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ance has been effected.

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Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

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SIEMSSEN & Co.

## HONGKONG TRADING CO., LTD.

(Late THE HALL & HOLTZ C. Co., Ld.) Hongkong, 7th February, 1890

addition has become an important instrumentality in the hands of the Chinese for carrying To the capture of the city by the Triad rebils we are undoubledly indebied for the present Customs organisation, and the very beneficial influence it has exercised on our municipal system which has contributed so materially to the wonderful growth and prosperity of or Settlements. Had it not been for this apparently unfortunate event it is difficult to say what would be the condition of marters here now, but it is safe to assert that if the Customs service had continued to be administered, as it was prior thereto, our trade with China would never have been developed as it has been, and no progress of consequence would have been made by the Chinese in the arts and industries of foreign countries.-W. S. Wetmore, in the N. C. Daily News.

SCOTT'S Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, for Rickels, Marasmus and all wasting disorders of children, is very remarkable in its results. The rapidity with which children gain flesh and strength upon it is very wonderful. Read the following:-"I have tried 'Scott's Emulsion ' in cases of wasting in young children, and I am of opinion that it is a valuable preparation for such cases. The children take it and ask for more, and the good effects are apparent. I consider it far superior to ordinary Cod Liver Oil "-I MARSHALL M.R.C.S., &c., 143, Grange Bermondsey, S.E. Any Chemist can supply it.-A. S. Watson & Co. (Ltd.), agents in Hongkong and China.-[Advt.

#### Co-day's Advertisements.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE KWOON KWAN YEEN CHAL LENGE CUPS, value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also two Consolation Cups value

\$100 each. The 2nd Stage of the Sixth Competition wil take place next SATURDAY, the 15th February at 2.15 p.m. commencing at 900 yards. Entrance

Fee 30 cents. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Wharf at 2 O'CLOCK, to take over intending Competitors. A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890. THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is bereby given that a CALL of \$1 per Share in the above Company payable on or before the 3rd day of March next, and that all persons not having paid the amount and to take immediate delivery of their Goods of their calls will be charged interest at the rate of \$8 per cent, per annum from due until payment from alongside. in accordance will the Articles of Association.

W. H. WALKER, Secretary. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

NOTICE.

RACES!

AR. TOM GREAVES GOWLAND and IVI Mr. HENRY PERCY WHITE are admitted PARTNERS in our Firm from the 1st February, 1890. DODD & Co.

Tamsui & } 1st February, 1890. Kelung, RACESIII RACES ! !

S LUCAS, No. 2 STAND, begs to extend | NTOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND INSTALMENT of \$5 (Five Dollars) per

Refreshments Provided. Hongkong, 11th February, 1800.

EOTHEN MARK

OF HONGKONG, No. 264.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.



REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the 15th inst., at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Hongkong, 11th Bebruary, 1890.

Hutimations. VICTORIA COLLEGE.

A PPLICATIONS for ADMISSION will be A received on THURSDAY, the 13th February, at 8 30 A.M.

Class I......\$36 per Annum, II. and III.....\$24

" IV. to VII.....\$12 G. H. BATESON WRIGHT, M.A.

Head Master. Hongkong, 10th February, 1890.

NOTICE. THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY,

THE SECOND OF DINARY MEETING of the Complain will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on TUESDAY, the 25th February, 1800, at 4 P.M.

LIMITED.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th inst. both days inclusive.

A. G. GORDON & Co., Ltd., Hongkong, 10th February, 1890.

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF CALL.

HE Directors having decided to make the FINAL CALL on the Shares in the above Company, notice is hereby given that the sum of Ten Dollars (\$to) per Share, will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on or before the 5th day of

March, 1800. This Final Call will make the Shares fully paid up, and all Scrip in the hands of unregistered Holders should be sent in for registration. Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum will be chargeable on all Calls unpaid on due dates.

By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890.

THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND CALL of Ten Shillings per Share is payable here on the 6th March. Shareholders will please pay respective Amounts due from them to the undersigned. WM. H. FORBES.

For the Local Committee. Hongkong, 8th February, 1890.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company No. 14. Praya Central; on MONDAY, the 24th instant, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st December,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES,

Hongkong, 1st February, 1890. GEO. FENWICK & Co., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE First Ordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Hongkong Hot 1, on SATURDAY, the 22nd

instant, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. declaring a dividend, and Electing an Auditor. GEO. FENWICK, General Manager.

Hongkong, 8th February, 1890. THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND N CALL of One Dollar per Share in the above Company is due on the 15th day of February next, and is payable at the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China. INTEREST at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be charged on all Calls unpaid on the due date.

By Order of the Board of Directors. J. A. BARRETTO, Secretary. Hongkong, 30th January, 1890.

THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that a THIRD N CALL of Five Dollars per Share in the above Company is due on the 15th day of February next, and is payable at the Chartered

Bank of India, Australia and China. INTEREST at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum will be charged on all calls unpaid on the due date. By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. A. BARRETTO, Hongkong, 10th January, 1890.

SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED. THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY, the 15th Share, on CALL of Ten Dollars per Share in February, at NOON, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th November last. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 15th inst. will be chargeable on all calls unpaid on due | both days inclusive.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 6th February, 1890.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

HE Ninth Ordinary Annual MEETING THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY

of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the . MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in Office of the Company, Pedder's Street, on the Company will be held at the Company's SATURDAY, the 15th February, at noon, to Office No. 5. Queen's Road, Victoria, on MONreceive a Statement of the Accounts of the Com- DAY, the 24th February next, at 12 o'clock pany to the 21st December, 1889, and the Re- Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement port of the General Managers, and to discuss any of Accounts, and the report of the Directors. matters that may be competently brought before | for the year ending 31st December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th instant, both days inclusive. By Order. GEO. L. TOMLIN.

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 1st February, 1890,

### Intimations.

HONGKONG AMATEUR ATHLETIC

SATURDAY, THE STH MARCH, 1890.

To take place on the Race Course, Wong-neichong (by kind permission of the Stewards of the Jockey Club), commencing punctually at 2 p.m.

To he held under the Laws of the A. A. Association, and open to Gentlemen Amateurs who are Members or Visitors either of the Hongkong Club, Club Germania, Club Lusitano, Hongkong Cricket Club, or Victoria Recreation Club, and to Commissioned Officers of H.M. Army and Navy.

PROGRAMME. 1.-120 yards Flat Race Handicap, First prize presented by D. R. Sussoon, Esq. 2.—Throwing the Cricket Ball, Prize by Cricket

1.-Exercises on German Horse, Prize by Sports Committee.

4.-22) yards Flat Race Handicap, First prize by John D. Humphreys, Esq. 5 .- Putting the Shot, Prize by Sports Com-

6.-Ladies Purse, Half Mile Flat Race, H'cap, Prizes by the Ladies of Hongkong. 7.-High Jump, Prize by R. K. Leigh, Esq.

8.-Half Mile Flat Race Handicap, open to Soldiers, Sailors and Police. First prize, \$20; and prize, \$10; 3rd prize, \$5, presented by J. J. Francis, Esq., Q.C. 9.-Douglas Challenge Cup, Quarter Mile,

presented by John S. Lapraik, Esq. 10.—Bicycle Handicap, One Mile, First prize by G. E. Noble, E. q.

11.—100 yards Challenge Cup, presented by H. N. Mody, Esq. 12.-Mile Challenge Cup, presented by E. R

Relilios, Esq. 13 .-- Veterans' Race, 120 yards Handicap, (Ten years in the Tropics and over 15 years of age) First prize by Hon. C. P. Chater.

14.—Wide Jump, Prize presented by W. Gibson Brodie, Esq. 15.-Highland Fling, open. Competitors to be in full Highland Costume. First prize, \$25, by D. Gillies, Esq.; 244 prize, \$15, by Captain

16.—Hurdle Handicap, 120 yards, 10 Flights. First prize by Hon. A. P. McEwen. 17.—Half Mile Steeplechase, (o Jumps) First

prize by J. Y. V. Vernon, Esq. 18 -Consolation Race, Prize by Hon. P. Ryrie. 19.-International Tug-of-War (8 men aside), prizes by Club Germania. 20.—Presentation of Prizes.

N.B.—Post Entries allowed only for event

Events Nos. 9, 11 and 12 must be won two consecutive years—previous winners are not

Competitors are requested to send in their entries (on entry Forms which can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co., Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Ld., the Victoria Recreation Club, or the Undersigned) to the Hon. Secretary, not later than WEDNESDAY, the 26th February, on which date the entries close.

There will be no charge for admission to the Sports, but upecial invitations for the Grand Stand and Enclosure will be issued by the Com-

LIMITED.

W. H. YOUNG. Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 1st February, 1800. REEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY.

Directors:— C. EWENS, Esq., Chairman. L. POESNECKER, Esq., Vice-Chairman. J. D. HUTCHISON, Esq. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Esq. LEE SING, Esq.

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Offices-62, Queen's Road Central. J. FOREMAN. Secretary.

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL .....\$5,000,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL ...... 2,500,000 RESERVE FUND ...... 1,250,000. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman. Managing Directors.

Hon. C. P. CHATER, Vice-Chairman. LEE SING, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. J, S. MOSES, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. POON PONG, Esq.

D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

BANKERS. THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NONEY advanced on Mortgage, on Land, IVI and Buildings. Properties purchased and sold, Estates Managed and all kinds of Agency and Commission business relating to land, etc.,

Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 5. Queen's Road Central. A. SHELTON HOOPER

Victoria Buildings, Honokong, and May, 1880

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Sixth Ordinary General MEETING I of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on FRIDAY, 21st February, at Three o'Clock in :\_ the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee .. and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th to 21st Inst., both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & Co. General Managers, Hongkong, 6th February, 1890.

MERCANTILE MARINE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION.

T TNTIL the NEW PREMISES are ready the above named Institution will be carried on at Nos. 2, 4, and 6, High Street, above the Government Civil Hespital. Good Accommodation for M. M. Officers. Terms Moderate.

> JAS. EDWARDS. Proprietor.

A. CLARKE. Teacher of Officers and Engineers, Above Address. Hongtong, and September, 1880.

### Commercial.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-197 per cent. premium, sellers. Union-Insurance Society of Canton \$101 per share, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$72 per February 11, Strathearn, British steamer, for share, buyers. North China Insurance—Tis. 350 per share, Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$130 per Yangtste Insurance Association-Tls. 96 per

On Tal Insurance Company, Limited—Tis. 150 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$400 per share, sellers.

China Fire Insurance Company-\$90 per share, Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-58 per cent. premium, sellers.

Hongkone, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -\$38 per share, ex. div., sellers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-120 per share, buyers.

Hongkong Gas Company-\$135 per share, sellers. Hongkong Hotel Company-\$200 per share, Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited-124 per cent. dis., buyers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$66 per share,

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$229 per share, sales and sellers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$70 per share, sellers. Hongkong Ice Company-\$110 per share,

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited —\$80 per share. Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$14 per share, sellers.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B--21 per cent, premium, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent premium; buyers.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$23 per share

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-11 per cent Househour Rose Manufacturing Company though attended share sellers. The Company Segm Laundry Co., Ld. -\$2 per chairs.

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# Shipping.

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ARRIVALS. SOOCHOW, British steamer, 327, McIsaacs, 10th Feb.,-Hoihow 9th February, General.-Chinese.

INGRABAN, German steamer, 1896, Massmann, 10th Feb., - Saigon 6th February, Rice and Paddy.-Wieler & Co. JAPAN, British steamer, 1,865, T. S. Gardner, 11th Feb.,-Calcutta 24th Jan., Penang 31st,

and Singapore ard February, Opium and General.-D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,080, J. Thom, 11th Feb., - Bangkok 3rd February, Rice. - A. G.

NAMOA, British steamer, 863, T. G. Pocock, 11th Feb.,-Foothow 7th February, Amoy oth and Swatow 10th, General.-D. La-

PALINURUS, British steamer, 1,536, T. S. Jackson, 11th Feb ,-Singapore' 4th February, General.-Butteifield & Swire. TARTAR, British steamer, 1,567. D. S. Bailey, 19th Feb.,-Liverpool 24th Dec, and Singapore 4th Feb., General.-Adamson, Bell

TRIUMPH, German steamer, 675, P. Moos, 11th Feb ,-Touron 8th February, Ballast .--Wirler & Co.

CHEANG HOCK KIAN, British steamer, 956, Grenfell, 11th Feb.,-Singapore 1st Feb., General.—Ban Hin.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Eughrates, British steamer, for Saigon. Independent, German steamer, for Hoihow. Halphong, British steamer, for Takao. Strathearn, British steamer, for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES. February 10, Imperial, American ship, for New February 10, Arathutt, French steamer, for

February 10, Fushun, Chinese str., for Wham-

Pakhoi, &c.

February 10, Ningpo, German str., for Whampon February 11, Moray, British steamer, for Salgon. February 11, Frejr, Danish str., for Hoihow. February 11, Haitan, British steamer, for Swa-

February 11, Clara, German steamer, for Hai-February 11, Haiphong, British str., for Takao.

February 11, Peking, German str., for Shanghal PASSENGERS-DEPARTED.

Per Japan, str., from Calcutta, &c.-Mrs. T. Gardner, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Coldren and child, Miss Hedricks, Miss Harris, and 710

Per Ingraban, str., from Saigon.-4 Chinese. Per Namoa, str., from Foochow, &c.—Messrs. Fraser, Griffith, Da Roza, and 110 Chinese. Per Triumph, str., from Touron.—12 Chinese. Per Palinurus, str., from Singapore.—320

Per Tartar, str., from Liverpool, &c.-Mrs. Bailey, child and nurse.

DEPARTED. Per Frejr, str., for Hoihow .-- 30 Chinese. Per Moray str., for Saigon.- i European and too Chinese. Per Clara, str., for Haiphong.—20 Chinese.

REPURTS. The British steamship Aragay reports that she left Bangkok on the 3rd instant. Had moderate to fresh monsoon, till off Cape Padaran thence to port had moderate north-east gale and high sea.

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The British steamship Namoa reports that that she left Foochow on the 7th instant. Experienced light variable winds with dull cloudy weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 9th, and Swatow on the 10th. From Amoy to Swatow had strong north-east gale, and high following sea with fine clear weather, and from Swatow to port had moderate morth to north-west winds with fine weather. In Foochow, the steamship El Dorado. In Swatow, the steamships Choysang, Hailoong, and Soochow. . .

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SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS. BELGIC, British steamer, Wm. H. Walker, 1st Feb.,-San Francisco 7th Jan., and Yokohama 26th, Mails and General.-O. & O. S. S. Co.

CHINA, German steamer, 1,093. P. Haye, 9th Feb.,-Saigon 4th Feb., Rice and Paddy.-DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, 654, J. Marquez, 10th Feb., -- Manila 7th Feb., General. --

Brandão & Co. DORSET, British steamer, 1,716, W. Daniel, 7th Feb.,-Kutchinotzu and Feb., Coal.-Mitsut Bussan Kaisha.

EUPHRATES, British steamer, 1,300, J. Eduards, 5th Feb.,-Kobe 28th Jan., Coal General.—Russell & Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, W. W. Allan .-

Hongkong Government tender. FEICHING, British steamer, 994, James Price, 10th Feb.,-Saigon 5th February, Rice and Paddy,-W. Hewett & Co.

FOOKSANG, British steamer, 991, H. W. Hogg, 25th Jan ,-Shanghai, and Swatow 25th Jan., General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 871, W. J. Schafer, 6th Feb.,-Saigon 1st February,

Rice.—Geo. R. Stevens & Co. KIEL, German steamer, 851, Krutzfeldt, 7th Feb., -Bangkok 29th January, Rice.-Melchers

Mongkut, British steamer, 860, Jas. Fowler 7th Feb.,-Bangkok 31st Jan., Rice.-Yuen NANSHAN, British steamer, 805, Jas. Young, 4th

Feb.,-Singapore 16th January, and Bangkok 27th, Rice.-Hop Hing. NANZING, British steamer, 808, B. Thomson, 3rd Jan.,-Manila 31st Dec., General.-

lardine, Matheson & Co. PENINSULAR, British steamer, 2,711, W. Webber, 10th Feb.,-Shanghai 8th Feb., Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. PHRA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, Y,011, W. H. Watton, 4th Feb., -Bangkok 27th Jan.,

General.-Yuen Fat Hong. PHU-QUOC, French steamer, 183, Vallin, 28th Sept.,-Touron 20th Sept., Coals.-Wing

Picciola, German steamer, 875, Th. Nissen, 12th January,-Bangkok 29th Dec., Rice.-Melchers & Co. PRESTO, German steamer, 655. J. Jessen, 8th

Feb., -Saigon and Feb., Rice. -Siemssen RECORDER, British telegraph steamer, 676, C. O. Madge, 25th Jan.,-Singapore 11th Jan.,

Telegraph Cable.—E. E., A. & C. Telegraph SHANGHAI, British steamer, 2,044, F. N. Tillard, 10th Feb.,-Nagasaki 6th Feb., General.-

P. & O. S. N. Co. TAISANG, British steamer, 1,505, W. H. Jackson, 18th Jan.,-Whampoa 18th Jan., General. -Jardine, Matheson & Co. TEHERAN, British steamer, 1,687, C. D. Sams,

10th Feb., -Amoy 8th February, General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. VERONA, British steamer, 1,876, Speck, 10th

February,-from Yokohama, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. VORWARTS, German steamer, 612, F. Bruhn, oth Feb.,-Saigon 3rd Feb., Rice.-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

BAILING VESSELS. ALTCAR, British bark, 1,283, R. Magrath, 14th Jan.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 29th Nov., Coals.

-Butterfield & Swire. AMY TURNER, American bark, 960, Chas. Johnson, 7th Feb.,-Honolulu 4th January, Ballast.—Russell & Co.

BELLE OF OREGON, American bark, 1,110, Mathews, 24th Jan.,-Japan 13th January, Coals.—Order. COLOMA; American bark, 843, C. M. Noyes, 9th Dec. Portland 19th Oct., and Honolulu,

8th Nov., Lumber.-Order. CONQUEROR, Americanship, 1,540, A.D. Lothrop, 17th June, Anjer 1st June, Ballast. Reuter, Brockelmann & Co.

ERLKOENIG, Chinese bark, 457, Oplum Examination hulk, Stonecutters' Island, Chinese Customs. GREAT ADMIRAL, American ship, 1,497, J. F. Rowell, 30th Nov.,-San Francisco 8th Oct., Flour, -Melchers & Co.

HONGKONG-SAILING VESSELS.

Continued. HANS, German schooner, 120, G. A. Hansen, and Dec.,-Matupi 25th Sept., General.-Blackhead & Co. . W. FILDERICH. German ship, 1,108, G. Meyer,

4th Dec.,-Newcastle 26th Oct., Coals .--OMEGA, British bark, 480, A. V. Brown, 28th

Jan.,—Honolulu 24th December, General.— PERLE, British brig, 400, L. P. Nilsson, 1st Feb., -Sandakan oth January, Timber.-Gibb,

Livingston & Co. P. N. BLANCHARD, American ship, 1,501, N. W. Blanchard, 3rd Feb.,-Hiogo 29th January, Coal.—Order.

RINGLEADER, American ship, 1,145, J. Clifford Entwisle, 1st Feb,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 19th Dec., Coal,-Butterfield & Swire. MENDEL, British bark, 1,317, Gower, 21st Dec.,-Whampoa 21st Dec., General.-

-Wieler & Co. SUMATRA, British bark, 740, John Rea, 16th Jan.,—Gorontalo 17th Dec. Ebony and Rattans.-Ed. Schelhass & Co. SWAN, American brig. 250. Bande, 25th Dec.,

-Yap (Caroline Islands) 16th Dec., Ballast. -Moore and Siemund. TARAPACA, British bark, 496, Kennett, 16th Jan., -Souarbaya 16th Dec., Timber.-Gibb,

Livingaton & Co. TILLIE BAKER, American bark, Carty, 22nd Dec.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 2nd Nov., Coal. -Order. TORDE, Hawaiian bark, 750, M. Moresca, 21st

Dec.,-Albany, W.A., 9th Nov., Sandalwood.—Order. W. H. LINCOLN, American ship, 1,675, M. J. Daly, 12th Jan.,-Yokohama 27th Dec., Kerosene Oil.—Russell & Co.

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